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Homicide Investigation

The Birmingham Police Department reports that detectives are conducting a homicide investigation. The incident occurred Thursday, February 05, 2015 at 14 Watertown Circle (Watertown Apartments).

The identity of the victim will be released upon notification of immediate family.

On Thursday, February 05, 2015 around 12:30 a.m. East Precinct officers were dispatched to the listed location on shots fired in the area. Upon arrival, officers found the victim lying in the breeze way suffering from multiple gunshot wounds to the body. The victim was pronounced deceased at the scene by Birmingham Fire and Rescue.

Our investigation revealed that the victim met someone outside in the parking lot and something took place that resulted in the victim being shot several times as he attempted to run away. It is believed that the incident stemmed from illegal drug activity. Additional information will be released as it becomes available. Detectives are investigating the death as a homicide.

If there is anyone who has information pertaining to the case, they are encouraged to contact the B.P.D. Homicide Unit @ 254-1764 or Crime Stoppers @ 254-7777.